THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.V.NAGARJUNA REDDY

WRIT PETITION No.26515 of 2007

Date: 18.12.2007

Between:

Smt.Karuturi Venkayamma.

... PETITIONER

AND

The District Collector, West Godavari District,
Eluru, and others.

... RESPONDENTS

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O R D E R:

This writ petition is filed for a writ of Mandamus to declare the action of respondent No.3 in interfering with the petitioner's possession and enjoyment of the land in survey Nos.195/2A and 196/2 situated at Vadapalli Village, Kovvur Mandal, West Godavari District, before finalizing the land acquisition proceedings as arbitrary and illegal.

On 13.12.2007, the learned Assistant Government Pleader for Land Acquisition took time to report to the Court the stage of the enquiry being held under Section 5-A of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 ('the Act' for brevity). Today, at the hearing, he reported that the enquiry was held on 06.03.2007, but so far the objections raised by the petitioner are not disposed of.

In view of this statement of the learned Assistant Government Pleader, the writ petition is disposed of. It is needless to observe that till such time as the respondents complete the legal and procedural formalities envisaged under the provisions of the Act, the petitioner cannot be dispossessed from the land nor her enjoyment of the land can be interfered with.

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C.V. NAGARJUNA REDDY, J

December 18, 2007

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